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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

In re Application of) MM DOCKET NO. 93-155
RICHARD BOTT II (Assignor)) File No. BAPH-920917G0
and)
WESTERN COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (Assignee))))
For Assignment of Construction Permit of Station KCVI(FM), Blackfoot, Idaho)))

To: The Commission

MASS MEDIA BUREAU'S MOTION TO DISMISS

- 1. On July 20, 1993, Richard Bott, II ("Bott") filed a Reply to Opposition to Petition for Leave to File Petition for Reconsideration ("Reply"). The Mass Media Bureau moves to dismiss Bott's Reply.
- 2. Bott's Reply is an unauthorized pleading. Bott seeks to reply to the Bureau's Opposition to [Bott's] Petition for Leave to File Petition for Reconsideration. The Commission's rules do not provide for the filing of a reply to the Bureau's pleading.

 Moreover, Bott failed to seek leave to file his Reply. Thus,
 Bott's Reply is an unauthorized pleading. See Section 1.294(b).

3. In light of the foregoing, the Bureau moves to dismiss Bott's Reply.

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